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Thanks for your time in reviewing this, Rob. Much appreciated.

I think your comments on the LEDPA were the same as what Erin and I picked up on also.

Cheers,

Paul

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All,

Attached are my initial comments on the BDCP preliminary JD analysis document. My comments are embedded in track changes. My primary concern is reliance on the preliminary JD to determine the LEDPA, a problem we face on other projects (e.g., High Speed Rail).

Please let me know if yo would like to discuss further. I don't see a 404 attorney on the "cc" list, but I assume you will council will review this as well.

Rob

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Hi, Karen: here are the two documents describing the approaches for JD and wetland assessment work that DWR is proposing for the BDCP. They are expecting that EPA will, at some point in the near future after this interim review, provide a letter to DWR stating our support for this approach.

I will be in tomorrow, but not on Friday as I mentioned. Then out for two weeks, so will need to leave this in Erin's hands for the time I am away.

I can work on a short letter we can circulate as a draft that will be our concurrence letter....if that helps move things along.

Cheers, Paul

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Hello everyone-

Please find the attached documents discussing DWR's proposed methods for the Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination of Waters and Wetlands and the Wetland Functional Assessment, components of the 404 (b)(1) Alternatives Analysis for the Bay Delta Conservation Plan. Please send us your comments and edits to these plans as we discussed at our July 7, 2011 meeting. We will incorporate changes for a final review.

Thank you, Jean

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